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## MISSOURI TIGERS WON FROM DRAKE EASILY.

Sure of Winning, the Tigers Let Down in the Last Quarter and Drake Scored in Four Minutes.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 9.—Missouri today played rings around Drake winning 17 to 14, in the most spectacular game seen here in years. The Tigers outplayed, outclassed and outgeneraled their opponents at every stage of the game and but for the overconfidence on victory in the last quarter, the score might have been 17 to 0.

It was in the last few minutes that Drake threw a scare into the Tiger players that woke them from their over confidence by making two touchdowns in four minutes.

But Missouri, mad and determined, came back and in the grandest football of the entire game, rushed the ball under the shadow of the goal, to lose it on downs with a yard to go.

To Knobel, Lemire and McWilliams belongs the honor of a Missouri victory, for it was this trio that ran the ends and rushed the line at will. Supporting them was an invincible line and a pair of ends that could and did stop everything that came their way.

Apparently confident of victory the Missourians let down in the last quarter when Drake threw the Drake bleacher into an uproar by making two touchdowns and goals in four minutes. Three line plays and two forward passes netted Drake thirty-five yards and then Lansing went through eight yards for their first score. Hardly had the ball been kicked off again, when Drake scored again. Sheppard kicked to Bunz who returned forty yards and on the next play Lansing scored after a thirty yard run on a forward pass.

## ALL FRISCO WOMEN ARE INVITED TO WRITE A LETTER ON SAFETY FIRST

For the best letter a prize of \$10.00 will be given; for the next best a prize of \$5.00, and for the third best a prize of \$2.50.

This competition is open to all women in the families of Frisco employees, to all women employees and to all widows and daughters of deceased employees.

The letters must not exceed 250 words in length and must be addressed to The Frisco Man, 737 Frisco Building, St. Louis, Mo.

The competition begins at once and closes January 1, 1913, soon after which the names of the winners will be announced. From time to time The Frisco Man will publish the best of the letters received, if the authors thereof desire.

It is hoped that the Frisco women will join in the work of continually agitating the importance of Safety First, and the best evidence of this can be shown by the quality and quantity of letters received.

## LONGWORTH LOSES SEAT IN CONGRESS

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 8.—Unofficial figures in the vote in the first Ohio congressional district tabulated today, gave Stanley Bowdler a victory over Congressman Nicholas Longworth, son-in-law of Col. Roosevelt by less than 100 votes. No precincts were missing. So close is the margin of the difference however, that the official count will be necessary to determine finally whether Bowdler or Longworth shall represent the district in congress.

## CAPPER GIVES IT UP.

Topeka, Nov. 9.—The election of George Hodges, Democrat, for governor of Kansas is certain. Arthur Capper Republican, his opponent, issued a statement this afternoon admitting defeat.

With official returns from eighty counties and with complete but unofficial returns from the remainder, Hodges has a plurality of 368 over Capper. With the exception of Akers for state treasurer, the remainder of the state ticket has probably won. However, Frank Britton Democrat, claims he has been elected lieutenant general.

## ONE BUGABOO BANISHED

One of the most important features connected with the recent campaign was the entire absence of business disquietude that has heretofore prevailed at such periods. Presidential years have been marked, from almost the foundation of the government, as periods of business lassitude. This was but natural, for in every contest is involved a change of policies that may require time for readjustment of business with its disarrangement before things can settle down to meet the conditions which a change of policy might effect. This year feelings of alarm were altogether absent except in the bosom of Taft's managers and spell binders, and the industrial affairs of the country rocked on just as though a mighty political conflict was not raging. This speaks well for the conservatism and sense of our people. It is evidence of belief among them that the country's interests can be safe in the party, and that the country's prosperity is not dependent the retention of any party in power.—Sapulpa Light

The "old home paper" is a letter writing saver. Did you ever stop to think what a great labor saver the home paper is, as a means of communication with absent ones "Write to me often" is the last command the one breakaway from home ties so often gives to those left behind. In the rush and hurry of every day, very few people nowadays have the time to devote to correspondence of leisurely kind the people of other days kept with such unvarying punctuality. And there is where the home paper saves a world of trouble. It is much better than a letter too, because it contains much that a letter would not. Items of interest are in it that the writer did not know or overlooked. It is wonderful how eagerly one devours a home paper when a stranger in a strange land. Even the people you did not know intimately while at home become an absorbing interest to you when you read that they have died or married or figure otherwise in home affairs. If there are some of your family away try and send them the paper regularly and a letter occasionally and see if they do not appreciate the favor of the home paper.—Selected.

The Republicans elected the county assessor in Barry county, and this seems to be the only county officer they have elected in the Fifteenth congressional district. In Newton county they have elected three or four justices of the peace and one constable. This is a better showing than we made in the election of 1896, when we only elected the constable of Neosho township.—Neosho Miner and Mechanic.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Smith are visiting relatives in Purdy.

## KILLED IN WRECK

Engineer Killed and Fireman Seriously Injured as Train Turns Over

At midnight Monday night passenger train No. 9 was derailed at a point about midway between Granby and Neosho and Engineer W. M. Mankin was killed and Fireman Darrough was badly injured.

When the engine left the track the engineer was caught by the legs in such a manner that he could not escape and he was fearfully scalded by the escaping steam. He lived about two hours. The fireman was thrown from the window of the cab and escaped being scalded but was considerably injured. The engineer was brought to the Callaway undertaking rooms in this city and the fireman was taken to the hospital at Springfield.

The engine, tender and baggage coach was thrown into the ditch. The cause of the accident is not known.

The family of the dead engineer resides in Kansas City and they have been notified of his death. His wife was Roma Bender, daughter of Jake Bender, formerly of Monett. The fireman lives in Springfield.

Postal Clerk Walter Roller sustained a sprained shoulder and back and Postal Clerk Geo. Orr's arm was badly cut.

## THE MUSIC CLUB.

The Music club met in regular session, Monday Nov. 11, with Mrs. John D. Prigmore. The club is studying English Composers this month. Sir Arthur Sullivan will be studied next Monday. Quiz conducted by Miss Mertel. After the singing of "God Save The King," England's National Air, the regular lesson was taken up.

Mrs. Bruton conducted the "Quiz" which proved very interesting and instructive.

The composers Victor Herbert and Sir Wm. Bennett were studied and interesting articles on their lives being read by Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Sizer, respectively. The program was as follows:

Vocal Solo, To You, Ole Speaks; Mrs. O. W. Bruton Piano Punctinello, Victor Herbert; Mrs. Wirt Patterson Vocal Solo, Don't You Mind the Sorrows, Cowles; Mrs. J. D. Prigmore

After the business meeting the club adjourned.

## DIED

Mrs. Hazel Wrightsman, wife of Herbert Wrightsman, died at the home of her mother, Mrs. A. B. Downs, on Fourth street, Sunday evening at 7:20 o'clock.

Mrs. Wrightsman had been ill for several months with lung trouble and her death was not unexpected. The end came peacefully and without suffering.

Mrs. Wrightsman was 23 years, 11 months and 7 days old. She is survived by her husband, one little daughter, May, her mother, Mrs. A. B. Downs, one sister, Miss Berenice Downs, and one brother, Harry Downs, of Cotter, Ark. She also leaves many friends to mourn her early death. She was a sweet Christian woman and loved by all who knew her.

A motor car bound for Muskogee, Okla., was in the Frisco yards Monday night and was taken out on the California express. It will be used on the M. O. & G. out of Muskogee.

## MAJORS LEAD

NOW 113,662

Returns From Twenty-Eight Counties in the State Still Incomplete.

St. Louis, Nov. 8.—With returns from twenty eight counties still incomplete, the Missouri vote this afternoon stood: Wilson 297,067, Taft 183,405, Roosevelt 105,134. Major 300,644, McKinley 177,201, Norton 96,328.

Mrs. A. Bounous returned Wednesday from Springfield where she went with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Dan Lautaret.

## TAFT NAMES TWENTY-

EIGHTH THANKSGIVING

Washington, D. C., Nov. 8.—President Taft today issued a proclamation setting aside November 28 as Thanksgiving Day. The proclamation follows:

"By the President of the United States of America:

"A proclamation:

"A God-fearing nation like ours owes it to its inborn and sincere sense of moral duty to testify its devout gratitude to the All-Giver for the countless benefits it has enjoyed.

"For many years it has been customary at the close of the year for the National Executive to call upon his fellow countrymen to offer praise and thanks to God for the manifold blessings vouchsafed to them in the past and to unite in earnest supplication for their continuance.

"The year now drawing to a close has been notably favorable to our fortunate land. At peace within and without, free from the perturbations and calamities that have afflicted other peoples, rich in harvests so abundant and in industries so productive that the overflow of our prosperity has advantaged the whole world, strong in the steadfast conservation of the heritage of self-government bequeathed to us by the wisdom of our fathers, and firm in the resolve to transmit that heritage unimpaired but rather improved by good use to our children and our children's children for all time to come, the people of this country have abundant cause for contented gratitude.

"Wherefore, I, William Howard Taft, President of the United States of America, in pursuance of long usage and in response to the wish of the American people, invite my countrymen wheresoever they may sojourn to join on Thursday, the twenty eighth day of this month of November, in appropriate ascription of praise and thanks to God for the good gifts that have been our portion, and in humble prayer that his great mercies toward us may endure.

"In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

"Done at the City of Washington, this seventh day of November in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and of the independence of the United States of America the one hundred and thirty-seventh.

"By the President,

"WILLIAM H. TAFT.

"Alvey A. Ades, Acting Secretary of State."

## Tonight.

Tonight, if you feel dull and stupid, or bilious and constipated, take a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets and you will feel all right tomorrow. For sale by all dealers.

Mrs. Phil Lamb, of Sapulpa, Ok., is visiting relatives and friends at this place.

## OUR LOCAL GRIST

Misses Cora Lester and Margaret Edgar visited at Galena, Kan., Sunday.

Miss Ola Broderick, of St. Louis, is visiting Miss Jewell Williams this week.

Mrs. R. M. Cairns and niece have returned from a visit in Denison, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Christopher visited relatives in Joplin, Sunday.

Miss Montez McBride, of Sapulpa, Okla., is visiting relatives and friends.

F. M. Limer, of Hinesville, Ark., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. L. Pratt and family.

Elbert Cox and family have moved from their farm north of Monett to the Long farm east of Peirce City.

Mrs. Jeffrey Moore and daughter, Miss Helen, returned Sunday night from a visit with friends at Afton, Okla.

Miss Pearl Filkins, of Pittsburg, Kan., has accepted a position at Clark's Variety store. She is a sister of Mrs. John Green.

Miss Isabelle Breece returned Sunday night to Springfield, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Breece.

Next Sunday the pastors of the various churches of the city are requested by the National Y. M. C. A. to preach a sermon to young men.

Prof. Ward Combs, principal of the high school, was ill and unable to attend to his duties Monday.

Attorneys J. E. Sater and John T. Burgess went to Cassville Monday morning to attend circuit court.

Mr. and Mrs. George Feist, daughters Vera and Ruth, Ed Ryan and daughter Marie motored to Peirce City, Sunday.

Dr. Wm. West gave a very instructive lecture on the eye at the Y. M. C. A. building Friday night.

Mrs. O. H. Hudson, of Cassville, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Johnston.

Misses Vera Feist and Gerardine Knott, who attend Drury College at Springfield, visited over Sunday with home folks in Monett.

The residence of Martin Taylor on Pearl street caught fire about 7 o'clock Sunday morning. The fire started from a defective flue and the damage amounted to about \$100.00.

The Woman's Union of the Presbyterian church made over \$100 at their rummage sale. They had a number of articles left which were given to those who had use for them.

Mrs. Walter Montgomery and son, George, of Rocky Comfort, visited in Monett Sunday on their way home from a visit at Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hairston, of Pryor, Ok., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Czarlinsky and family. Mrs. Hairston and Mrs. Czarlinsky are sisters.

Mrs. and Mrs. Tom Anderson of Denver, Colo., visited friends in Monett a short time Monday morning. They had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Houston at Purdy and were on their way to Wentworth to visit relatives.

Mrs. Thos. Mansfield and daughter Lucile returned Saturday evening to their home at Joplin after a pleasant visit with relatives and friends in Monett. Mrs. Mansfield attended the G. I. A. school of instruction while here.

Mrs. A. E. Burns has returned from a visit in Aurora.

T. J. Moore spent Sunday in Peirce City.

John Parish, of Peirce City, is a candidate for postmaster.

Simeon Clark, of Republic, visited friends in Monett Sunday.

A. B. Burns was in Peirce City Sunday.

Maynard and Harrison Smith and "Dutch" Combs, of Purdy, visited Monett friends Sunday.

Misses Effie and Della Combs, of Purdy, were guests of Monett friends Friday.

Mrs. Walter Connerly returned Sunday from a visit in St. Louis.

Miss Virginia Sheehan returned from a visit with relatives in St. Louis.

Mrs. G. D. Hawes has returned home from a visit at Topeka Kan.

Miss Effie Burris, of Purdy, visited friends at Monett Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ollie Steele visited her sister, Mrs. M. C. Hagler a Springfield, Sunday.

W. F. Durnil left Saturday night for a business trip to St. Louis.

Mrs. P. L. Freeland of Purdy, was in Monett, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Paxton have returned from a visit at Peirce City.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Beatty, of Joplin, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. Lewis, Sunday.

Misses Bess Carey and Kate Henry visited in Peirce City, Sunday.

Joe Trinley and Ora Robinson went to Purdy, Saturday on a shooting expedition.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walton and daughter went to Miami, Ok., Saturday for a short visit.

P. A. Howerton has moved to C. C. Miller's cottage on Lincoln avenue.

Mrs. Arthur Smith, of St. Louis, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Yoakum.

The ladies of the M. E. Church South cleared \$48 at their dinner and supper on Thursday.

Judge Drew Wilkerson went to Ft. Smith, Ark., Saturday to spend a week with his son John Wilkerson.

Mrs. Dan Lautaret is recovering nicely from an operation performed at Burge-Deaconess Hospital in Springfield this week.

D. H. Kemp was in Joplin, Saturday, arguing the Thornburgh case in the Jasper county circuit court.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson and Mrs. Roberts, of Peirce City, were shopping in Monett, Saturday.

Mrs. B. F. Goodwin and Mrs. F. A. Turnow and daughter Elizabeth, of Pittsburg, Kan., are visiting M. C. Goodwin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Moffitt, of Spokane, Wash., are visiting Mrs. Moffitt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Drowley.

Miss Mary Mickerson is suffering from a very painful accident. While running the mangle at the laundry Monday morning her hand was caught in the machinery. One finger was broken and two others badly injured.

A large crowd was in attendance at the M. E. Church, South, Sunday afternoon, to observe World's Temperance Sunday. A good program was rendered by the Sunday Schools of the city and those present pronounced it a most interesting and helpful meeting.